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# IRMA TIMES

AN INDEPENDENT WEEKLY NEWSPAPER CIRCULATING THROUGHOUT  
JARROW, KINSELLA, ORBINDALE, ZOLDOVARA, FABYAN, CLARK MANOR AND IRMA DISTRICT

## Pattern Department

Make your own garments this winter. Home made clothes are more serviceable, wear longer and are warmer than factory made clothes. We stock both BUTTERICK and LADIES HOME JOURNAL. Patterns of any article of men's, women's or children's wear at  
IRMA CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY

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# Welcome Home Picnic Empire Day, Sat. July 19

## Saturday, July 19, Empire Holiday, Chosen as Irma's Day of Celebration

### Given in Honor of Our Heroes of the Great War.

The committee in charge of the welcome home picnic met last Friday night and decided that as Saturday, July 19th had been proclaimed Empire day it would be better to change the date and hold our celebration on Saturday instead of Friday. A full programme of sports have been arranged, including four baseball games, basketball, football, running, jumping, tug of war, ladies and children's races.

### Refreshments Booths Well Looked After

Messrs. Graydon and Skyles of the booth committee have placed the order for a large supply of fruit, ice cream, soft drinks, etc., and patrons of the booth will be assured of courteous treatment by these gentlemen and their assistants. Irma has always enjoyed a good reputation in supplying refreshments on their sports day and this committee we are sure will be able to keep up the good reputation. Another booth will be erected on an addition added to the present one.

## Red Cross and UFWA Have Charge of Seat- ing Arrangements at Big Welcome Spread

The Red Cross and U. F. W. A. ladies and Ladies Aid will arrange the tables for the returned soldiers at the welcome home picnic and sports day. Tables will be arranged for all returned soldiers and sailors and their family, or sweetheart. Seats will be taken at 12 noon. All ladies except soldiers wives are requested to bring baskets. Hot and cold water will be supplied. No admission will be charged and every one should have a good time.

### U. F. W. A.

The members and their friends of the UFWA were entertained at the home of Mrs. G.N.G. Higginson, Thursday July 3rd.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Oscar McMurray, Thursday, August 7th, when a demonstration will be given on doing up vegetables and fruits. A cordial invitation is extended to every farm woman in the Irma district.

### Sunday Services

11 a.m. preaching and bible study at Orbindale.  
3 p.m. preaching and bible study at Roseberry.

7:30 p.m. preaching at Irma.  
Sunday school at Irma at 11 a.m.  
Sunday school at Alma Mater at 2:30 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend these services.  
C. G. Hockin, Pastor.

## Holiday On Saturday July Nineteenth

Ottawa, July 2.—In view of His Majesty's recent proclamation, and having regard to the desire expressed as to a general celebration of peace throughout the empire, the government has appointed Saturday July 19, for peace celebrations in all parts of the Dominion.

## LYNX U. F. A. PICNIC WED. 16th

The Lynx UFA Picnic will be held on Wednesday, July 16th on the farm of Vern R. Wilson, NE 1/4 of 24-47-10. There will be a real bucking contest, races, etc. Suitable prizes awarded winners. Welcome all.

### FAIR VISITORS.

The following are among the Irma visitors at the Edmonton Fair the first of the week, J. McMinn, Mr. and Mrs. J. Bjork, Mr. and Mrs. J.G. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. P.J. Hardy, Mr. and Mrs. H.W. Love, Mr. and Mrs. P. Jones, Miss M. Clark, A.E. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. B. Barber, H.A. Clute, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Wyatt, W. Stewart.

Pts Chas. Walker returned to Irma Wednesday after spending a month in Calgary and the district.

## LOCAL NEWS

Remember the Welcome Home Picnic and Sports July 19th.

G.A. Hutton of the bank staff, is spending a vacation at Calgary and Edmonton.

Saturday's shower was very refreshing while it lasted but more rain is needed soon to assure a crop.

T. Graden of Edmonton, who owns the quarter north of Hawkins station was in Irma Wednesday looking over his land.

G. Barnes, of Edmonton, is relieving H.F. Jones, station agent, while he is taking a month's holiday on the coast.

Last Sunday the Irma congregation was addressed by Rev. W. Challis of Saskatchewan. Mr. and Mrs. Challis were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Tripp.

The boys who have been writing examinations for Grade VIII in Wainwright have returned and by the smile they have evidently done good work.

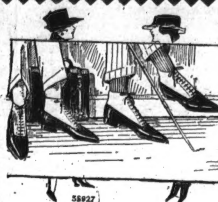
## Death of Mrs. Knapp.

The funeral service of Mrs. Geo. Knapp, was held on Sunday afternoon at 2 p.m. from the residence of her son-in-law H.J. Burkholder, 9643 83rd avenue.

Mrs. Knapp came to Edmonton from Prescott, Ontario, over twenty-five years ago, and has resided most of the time at 10534 83rd avenue, until about a year ago when she went to reside with her son, G.W. Knapp, at Kinsella, where she passed away on June 26th at the age of 82. A short service was held at her son's home near Kinsella.

Mrs. Knapp was a faithful member of Metropolitan Methodist church, and for many years made it a practice to read her Bible thru once a year. Her husband pre-deceased her 21 years ago. A great many old friends were present to pay their last respects to the departed. The pallbearers were Robert Lindsay, J. Shields, W. K. Shields, A.H. Richards, V.T. Richards and J.D. Foster. Interment took place at the Clover Bar cemetery, where she was laid to rest beside her bride maid, Mrs. R. Froom a sister of Mrs. R. Lindsay, who passed away some three years ago.

The sons and daughters left to mourn her loss are: E. Knapp and T.H. Torrance, North Bay, Ont., A.E. Knapp, Seattle, Mrs. C. Barker, Detroit, G.W. Knapp, Kinsella, and Mrs. H.J. Burkholder and Mrs. W.G. Richardson, Edmonton south. There are seventeen grandchildren living, and a number of great grandchildren. The grandchildren resident in Alberta are Miss H.B. Knapp, Mrs. C.E. Bishop and Mrs. Fred Crumb, of Edmonton, and Arthur S. Knapp, of Irma. There were a number of floral tributes from Mrs. Knapp's old friends.



## Canvas Shoes of All Description

At a discount of 20 per cent

Childs, Misses and Womens Canvas Shoes in Mary Jane Pumps, Oxfords, and Bals, with either Leather or Rubber Soles.

Boys and Mens Canvas Shoes with either Leather or Rubber Soles.

Running Shoes, all grades and makes included in this 20 per cent DISCOUNT SALE.

Positively no Charges or Tickets with this offer

## Grocery Special

Burns Carnation Lard 3 lb pails	\$1.25
Extra Choice Coffee, fresh ground	per lb 45c
5 lb Seeded Raisins	for 1.00
Golden West Soap	5 bars for 25c
Rolled Oats	8 lb sacks 55c
Rolled Oats	20 lb sacks 1.30

Royal Household Flour, the best on this market. Price right  
We want new laid eggs and fresh butter  
Preserving Fruit coming now. Leave us your order

## The Irma Co-Op Co. Ltd.

## E. J. Bridgeman, B.A. Opt. D.

Honor Graduate of Canadian Ophthalmic College of

Toronto, Eyesight Specialist and Professional

Optometrist

of Saskatoon, Saskatchewan

Will be at Irma Friday, July 25th

See Him When He Is Here

All Work Guaranteed

## FABYAN

John Thompson's place, Bridgeview Ranch, has been purchased by Horn Bros., returned soldiers, who will soon begin building operations.

T.C. Sanders, contractor, is putting up a fine trip-roofed barn and a house on one quarter of Mike Rubinok's "scrip" which was bought by a returned man. He has contracts for several other buildings for soldiers in this district.

George Armstrong took in the stampede, and he reports the H.C. L. there to have been very high.

Messrs Norman King and John Skogg, roadmasters hereabouts are to be congratulated on the dandy pieces of roadwork that they directed.

Several around here took in the circus at Wainwright on the seventh and report it to have been fair, but pretty steep in price if you saw it all which would not take long.

Mr. and Mrs. A.A. Dickson and family of Irma were at J.J. Armstrong's on Sunday 6th inst.

J.J. Armstrong leaves today to size up the possibilities of B.C. as a ranching country. The influx of tramp ranchers and hay grabbers from far and wide last year is starting the bona fide settlers and taxpayers out of the country with their stock this year.

## Charges Made And Convictions in 1919

According to the latest volume of Canadian Criminal Statistics, issued by the Dominion Statistician, Mr. R. H. Coats, during the year ending 30th of September, 1917, there were 12,454 charges and 15,559 convictions for indictable offences in the several provinces of the Dominion, as compared with 22,942 charges and 15,160 convictions the year before, being a decrease of 4,488, or 19.75 per cent, for charges, and a decrease of 2,601, or 17.17 per cent, for the convictions for the year.

# Summer Sale Quality Merchandise

With two months more in which to wear summer goods such an opportunity for saving on warm weather apparel is sure to be taken advantage of. All this stuff is new and seasonable. An early purchase will insure you the best of values and selections.

### White Goods

Women's white wash Skirt, buttoned down front, 2 pockets, sizes 25-30, 25-38, regular 1.75, clearing at \$1.35  
Women's white wash skirt trimmed with buttons and two pockets, regular 1.25, clearing at 95c  
Girls Middy Skirts size 4-12 regular 1.25, clearing at 85c  
Womens Underskirts trimmed with lace and embroidery regular 2.25, clearing at 1.85  
Womens Underskirts, lace trimmed reg 1.25at 95c  
Womens "Princess Slips" regular 2.25, clearing at 1.85  
Womens lawn Combinations embroidery trimmed, regular 2.00, clearing at 1.35  
Womens Night Gowns, round yoke, lace trimmed, regular 1.25, clearing at 95c  
Womens Night Gowns square yoke, lace trimmed, regular 2.00, clearing at 1.35  
Womens summer silk waist regular 3.75 clearing at 1.95

### For The Children

Infants Rompers size 3-5, regular 75c clearing at 55c  
Childrens dresses size 3-5, regular 75c clearing at 55c  
Girls White lace front Middy dresses good value at 1.75, size 8-12, clearing now for 1.35  
Girls gingham dresses 6-10, regular 1.75, clearing at 1.35  
Girls good quality print dresses, size 6 and 10 regular 1.25, clearing at 95c  
Boys Blouses and Shirts at cost.

All White Shoes on  
Sale. See Them

### Corn Flakes

A drive for the breakfast table Saturday and Monday.  
6 pigs for 45c  
Sold with \$5.00 worth of other goods only. One lot to a customer.

### Piece Goods

All English Gingham dandy good cloths in checks and stripes regular 30c, clearing at 22c  
Light ground prints in stripes and dots, regular 25c, clearing at 19c  
Potters Prints in Gray and Indigo, the best quality goods, were 35c, clearing at 29c  
All printed Muslins that were 30c going at 24c  
All printed Muslins and Voiles that were 40c going at 35c  
Cotton Crepes reg 40c going at 27c  
Nice medium Card Pique regular 55c, a good clearing at 40c  
White Costume Duck, just a few yards left, splendid quality, regular 50c, clearing 37c  
Chambrays in blue, tan and pink, nice goods, regular 40c a yard, clearing at 34c

J. C. McFARLAND & COMPANY



### The Coming Of Peace

The 28th day of June will stand for all time as one of the most memorable dates in the calendar, and as one of the most important anniversaries for future generations to celebrate, for it was on this date in the year of grace, 1919, that the Treaty of Versailles was signed, thus officially ending the Great War which began in 1914.

By a strange coincidence, it was on June 28, 1914, that the Archduke Franz Ferdinand, heir to the throne of Austria-Hungary, was murdered at Sarajevo. It was this tragedy that was assigned as the reason for Austria declaring war on Serbia, and thereby precipitating the terrible conflict which shook the world to its very foundations. The signing of the peace treaty on June 28, five years later, was not by pre-arrangement, the date having been postponed from time to time in order to complete negotiations, and finally to enable Germany to secure the consent of some of her leading men to assume the responsibility of affixing their signatures to the document.

It is not necessary at this time to recall the detailed terms of the peace treaty which Germany, after many deliberations, that she would never sign, finally bowed to the inevitable, and signed unconditionally. Suffice it to say, that it is probably the most humiliating admission of defeat, and the acceptance of the most abject terms of punishment that any great nation in all the world's history ever signed. Yet Germany had to sign. The only alternatives were anarchy at home, and the ultimate occupation of the whole country by the armies of the allies.

It is a stern peace, but a just peace. It had to be stern in order to be just. Even so, it is undoubtedly a more merciful peace for Germany than Prussian militarism would have enforced on the allies had Germany proved victorious in the war. This fact is proven by the statements of leading German statesmen and semi-official newspapers made in the days when victory for Germany appeared to be not at all improbable.

The great work of world reconstruction has now to be undertaken. It will call for the patience, wisdom and energy of the statesmen and people of all nations in order that it may be successfully accomplished. The problems confronting the world on a return to peace are quite as great as the problems which arose in the prosecution of the war; in fact, the peace problems are more complex and will be found even more difficult of solution. They cannot be solved in a year, or in several years, but for long years, even generations to come, the nations will find it necessary to deal with acute questions which had their origin in the Great War.

The allies will for a long time to come have to remain prepared and

watchful of Germany. Germany, although defeated and accepting the terms imposed upon her, is far from repentant. There has been no regeneration in Germany. At heart the people are still arrogant and defiant, but for the time being impotent and helpless. The spirit of Germany has not changed, and although it may now itself a republic and not an empire, there is lacking any real evidence of the sincere acceptance of democratic institutions.

Throughout the war Germany proved to be a treacherous and barbarous foe. She treated her solemn treaty obligations "as scraps of paper." On the eve of the signing of the peace treaty she gave further evidence of the fact that she has not reformed in this respect. The sinking of the surrendered German fleet at Scapa Flow was a characteristic piece of German treachery and a violation of the laws of war. By the terms of the armistice Germany was required to surrender her fleet. She accepted those terms. The fleet was interned at Scapa Flow. Then on the eve of the signing of peace the Germans scuttled the ships, destroying property which did not belong to them.

By this act the German navy added the crowning infamy to its history. Its record all through has been one of villainy. It skulked in its harbors and made war by submarine assassination; it surrendered without a fight; and after the surrender it treacherously destroyed the surrendered property. This act, without a parallel in the history of the world, imposes on the allies the necessity of keeping a close eye on Germany in the years to come to ensure that she lives up to the terms of the peace treaty she has now signed.

**Like a Grip at the Throat.**—For a disease that is not classed as fatal there is probably none which causes more terrible suffering than asthma. Sleep is impossible, the sufferer becomes exhausted, and finally, though the attack passes, is left in unceasing dread of its return. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy is a wonderful curative agent. It immediately relieves the restricted air passages, as thousands can testify. It is sold by dealers everywhere.

### Wind And Thermometer

You Cannot Make Mercury Contract By Fanning Thermometer

There is a good deal of sense in this answer in a contemporary who answers the question, Does the wind affect the thermometer?

"No. Wind is simply the air in motion, and the motion of the air does not change its temperature. Wind, coming in contact with the human body, produces a sensation of coldness, not because it is colder than the air at rest, but because its rapid change of contact with the body causes a sensation of coldness by evaporation. This sensation may be caused by rapid contact of warm air with the body as well as by the rapid contact of cold air. The use of a fan in warm weather brings relief not by cooling the air, but by setting it in motion and bringing rapidly changing masses of it in contact with the human body. But it would not have that effect on an inanimate and unresponsive thermometer. You cannot make mercury contract by fanning the thermometer."

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

**Saskatchewan Beef for Italy**  
Regina, Sask.—Gordon, Ironides & Fares have shipped 17 cars of Saskatchewan beef, valued at \$170,000, direct to Italy. Ten cars from Regina, three from Moose Jaw and four from Saskatoon.

Twenty-three thousand screws are used in the making of an ordinary airplane, and seven hundred pieces of wood in a single wing.

Some women are not as bad as they are painted.

Why isn't prohibition a beer check?

### Many Eskimos Died From Starvation

Caribou Failed and Fish Were Difficult to Get

Prince Albert.—Famine stalked last winter among the Eskimos of Chesterfield Inlet, Hudson Bay, according to word just received from Father Turquetil, O.M.I., and the mission at Chesterfield is much worried for lack of news of many of the Eskimos who formerly visited the station. The caribou have failed and there is no fish, writes Father Turquetil in a letter to friends in Prince Albert. Father Turquetil is the French priest who, about eight years ago, sent the report that the remains of Andre's balloon had been found and set the world agog with the news. He is at present at Chesterfield Inlet with Father Pigot studying the Eskimo language and carrying on the work of his mission. The first inkling that hunger and want were approaching came last November when a famished Eskimo, trying to reach the mission, fell in a faint on the ice of the lake near. It was not until the following day that he became conscious, when he gave word of his old squaw, whom the missionaries finally discovered under the remains of an old tent torn by the wind. She was stoically waiting death.

Many Eskimos died, for the Eskimo had but no great stock of food. When the caribou failed and they tried for fish, they were difficult to get. In February it was a day's work to chop a hole through the ice, and even then the fishing could only be done in the deep places. When a snowfall came no one could venture out, and death stared them in the face. Last year forty or sixty Eskimos perished in this way. A short time ago the missionaries heard of one family where five children died of hunger.

### Cold Storage

It is a very vexed question, but there are many Canadians paying high prices who do not understand why "forty million dollars worth of frozen beef is in cold storage in Canada."—Kingston Standard.

Minard's Liniment Co. Limited.  
Gents.—I cured a valuable hunting gun which was damaged by MINARD'S LINIMENT after several veterinarians had treated him without doing him any permanent good.

Yours, etc.,  
WILFRID GAGNE,  
Prop. of Grand Central Hotel,  
Drummondville, Aug. 3, '04.

### Swiftest Dog in the World

The swiftest dog in the world, the borzoi, or Russian wolfhound, has made record runs that show 75 feet in a second, while the gazelle has shown measured speed of more than eighty feet a second, which would give it a speed of 4,800 feet in a minute if the pace could be kept up.

### YES! MAGICALLY! CORN LIFT OUT WITH FINGERS

You simply say to the drug store man, "Give me a quarter of an ounce of freezezone." This will cost very little but is sufficient to remove every hard or soft corn from one's feet.

A few drops of this new ether compound applied directly upon a tender, aching corn, should relieve the soreness instantly. It is not the entire corn, root and all, dries up and can be lifted out with the fingers. This new way to rid one's feet of corns was introduced by a Cincinnati man, who says that, while freezezone is sticky, it dries in a moment, and simply shrivels up the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin.

Don't let father die of infection or lockjaw from whitening at his corns, but clip this out and make him try it.

### Plans Trains Of Air Cars

The First Step Toward the Creation of an Aerial Train

The keenest interest has been aroused in various circles in London by a report from the Hague that Herr Fokker, the Dutch inventor of the German battleplane, and proprietor of the works that manufactured it, proposes having himself seated in one airplane and towed by another plane. This is the first step toward the creation of an aerial train, the idea being an aerial locomotive with a chain of cars, similar to a modern railway train.

Herr Fokker has a specially constructed monoplane without motor ready for the experiment, but has great difficulty in getting an airman to lead the airplane. A flying train of air cars, some for baggage and some for passengers, is said to be the dream of this Dutch inventor.

### TIRE PEOPLE ARE DEBILITATED

Full Health and Strength Can Only Be Regained By Enriching the Blood

People who are tired all the time and never feel rested, even after a long night in bed, people who cannot regain weight and strength, who feel no joy in living, are in a condition described by doctors as general debility. A medical examination might show that every organ in the body is acting normally, but the pallor of the face will usually show that the blood is weak and watery. This is the root of the trouble.

Debility is a loss of vitality, not affecting any one part of the body but the system generally. The blood goes to every part of the body and the use of a blood tonic is essential to health. Pink Pills quickly tone up the whole system. The first sign of returning health is a better appetite, an improved digestion, a quicker step and better color in the cheeks. The rich, red blood, reaching every organ and muscle, carries new health and vigor. The nerves are quieted, sleep becomes more refreshing, and with persistent treatment and a good diet the patient regains his normal condition. The case of Mr. W. D. Dextler, R. R. No. 4, Tillsonburg, Ont., illustrates the effect of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in cases of this kind. Mr. Dextler says: "I was troubled with pains throughout my whole body, did not sleep at night, and was further afflicted with rheumatism. In spite of different treatment this condition persisted, indeed I was growing worse, and had fallen away in weight to 130 pounds and was scarcely able to get on my feet. Then I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after a few weeks there was a noticeable improvement in my condition. I continued taking the pills, constantly gaining until I felt as well as ever I did. While taking the pills, I gained 170 pounds, and I can now do as good a day's work as anyone. My advice is for all who are feeling weak and listless to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and they will soon put you right."

At the first sign that the blood is out of order take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and note the speedy improvement they make in the appetite, health and energy. Send for these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

### Talk Of Teuton Exodus

5,000,000 Will Leave Germany To Escape War Burdens

New York.—Karl H. Von Wiegand, the Berlin correspondent of the Sun, cables in part: Convinced that peace will limit industry, create a great glut of unemployed men, and lessen the chances of the ambitious to achieve a career or attain independence in life, preliminary preparations are being made for emigration by hundreds of thousands of Germans.

The movement is taking active shape through organizations which are being formed and systematic plans are being worked out in a characteristic methodical way. The government, realizing the crippled industries, limited raw materials, the absence of an army and navy and of a mercantile marine, will leave perhaps several millions of men upon its hands for whom it will be difficult, if not impossible to provide a means of livelihood, is more or less openly encouraging the idea of a wholesale exodus. It has added a new department to the Ministry of the Interior called the National Emigration Office, which has been placed in charge of Privy Councillor Junk. It was established to give information and all possible assistance and advise German emigrants, but especially to keep track of the streams of Germans who are expected to leave Germany.

The number of persons who will leave or will be "shoved off" with the assistance of the government is estimated to give information and all possible assistance and advise German emigrants, but especially to keep track of the streams of Germans who are expected to leave Germany.

The main streams of German emigration will be directed toward South America; that much already is evident. Intended emigrants are warned strongly against the United States in the general belief that Germans are not wanted there. Reports have been published here that the American labor unions are creating a general anti-foreign feeling in that country. An Argentine immigration bureau has been established in Berlin. Among other inducements, the Argentine government pays part of the immigrant's expenses, including railway fare to destination after arrival at Buenos Ayres, and ten days' food and lodging.

Southern Brazil is a second favorite, followed by Mexico and Chile. The first 500 Germans are scheduled to arrive in Mexico in September. A propaganda for Paraguay also has been commenced.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

At twenty-one a man knows everything; at fifty he wishes he knew something.

There is nothing on earth that can get so badly stuck on itself as a sheet of postage stamps.

W. N. U. 1271

### How To Get The News

Editors Are Only Human, Or At Least Almost Human

Day before yesterday a perfectly nice lady called up and with tears in her voice reproved us for not mentioning the fact that she had a friend visiting her last week. We told her that she had not let us know that she had a visitor. Then she said, "Well, you should have known. I thought you were running a newspaper." Wouldn't that rattle your slats? Some people think that the editor ought to be a cross between Argus and Anna Eva Fay. They seem to think that our five senses are augmented by a sixth that lets us know everything that happens, even if he see, hear, feel, taste or smell it not. Dear lady, editors are only human, or at least almost human. If you have a friend visiting you, if you are going away or have returned from a visit out of town, if Johnny falls and breaks his arm, if your husband chops his toe instead of a stick of wood, if anything happens to make you glad, or sad, happy or mad, call us up. Tell us about it. That's the way to get it in the paper.—From the Simcoe Reformer.

"Black Watch"—The Best Black Plug Chewing Tobacco on the Market

### Chinese Firecrackers

Canton District Is the Centre of This Art

China invented gunpowder and popularized fire-crackers. The cheapest kind of firecrackers is made of gunpowder rolled up in coarse bamboo paper with a covering of red paper, red being regarded by the Chinese as bringing good luck. Alum is used to neutralize the smoke. The Canton district is the centre of this industry. The Chinese seem to use firecrackers upon every occasion—to send a parting guest, in wedding celebrations, on festivals and birthdays, and to dispel evil and bring good omens. China exports about \$600,000 worth a year.

Hard and soft corns both yield to Holloway's Corn Cure, which is entirely safe to use on certain and satisfactory in its action.

### Hamburg Retaken

London.—Hamburg, which has been in the hands of Spartacists and Communists for a week, has been occupied by the government troops under Gen. Von Lettow Vorbeck. The Exchange Telegraph company dispatch from Copenhagen reporting the occupation says there was no fighting.

### Expensive Fish

"Cheer up, old man, there's other fish in the sea." Rejected Suitor: "Yet, but the last one took all my bait."—Life.

## BEECHAM'S PILLS

When your head aches, it is usually caused by your liver or stomach getting out of order. These "sick headaches" quickly disappear as soon as the stomach is relieved of its bilious contents. Right your stomach and regulate and tone the liver with Beecham's Pills, which rapidly improve conditions and promptly

## Help Headache

Directions of Special Value to Women are with Every Box.

Prepared only by Thomas Beecham, St. Helena, Lancashire, England. Sold everywhere in Canada and U.S. America. In boxes, 25 cents.

**Imperial Eureka Harness Oil**

—gets into the leather, keeps it supple—looking new and strong as new. Keeps insects and moisture out. Prevents drying and cracking. Keeps harness and repair bills down. Sold in convenient sizes.

**Imperial Eureka Harness Oil**

—makes oiling easy, quick and thorough. Should be in every barn.

**Imperial Mica Axle Grease**

—prevents spindles wearing thin and hubs getting loose. The powdered mica and grease both grip and hub lining with a covering of perfect lubrication that fills all pores and smooths all rough places. Makes loads easier to haul, reduces strain on harness and horses.

Sold in many sizes—1 lb. to barrels.

**IMPERIAL OIL LIMITED**

**AT DEALERS EVERYWHERE**

## A Health-Bringer!

Make your morning cereal dish a strengthener.

## Grape-Nuts

is not only most delicious in taste, but is a builder of tissue.

"There's a Reason"



## Kidney Back Pains Permanently Cured

### Dr. Hamilton Guarantees Prompt and Thorough Cure

I can cure you.  
I have a remedy that has never failed in kidney disease.  
My wonderful preparation is known as Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut.  
I guarantee Dr. Hamilton's Pills will restore the worst case of kidney suffering.  
Pain in the back, sides and hips will be relieved.  
Dizzy spells, headache and reeling sensations will be quickly remedied.  
Distressing bladder complaints, frequent calls, brick dust and acidment I guarantee will entirely disappear under Dr. Hamilton's Pills.  
If your run-down and languid condition can't be cured by Dr. Hamilton's Pills, then you are hopeless.  
In thousands of cases Dr. Hamilton's Pills have restored health and more; they have built up constitutions that defied further inroads of kidney disease.  
Purely a vegetable remedy, free from injurious minerals like mercury and calomel, mild enough for children to use, where can you find a remedy in efficiency to approach Dr. Hamilton's Pills?  
To be candid, you can't.  
All dealers sell Dr. Hamilton's Pills in yellow boxes, 25c.

## Britain Planning Air Supremacy

Government Subsidies Urged By  
Committee of Civil Investors

London.—Great Britain is actively engaged in laying the foundation of a world-wide aerial supremacy as complete as her maritime supremacy prior to the war. Her plans to achieve this important objective were started even before this country entered the war.

Moreover, she is completely convinced that aerial transportation will revolutionize her widespread empire and firmly weld it together by the speed that is the chief attribute of aircraft.

Realizing the importance aeronautics would play in the economic development of the world in general, and the reconstruction period after the war in particular, the British Government appointed the Civil Aeronautics Committee May 22, 1917, to "consider and report to the Air Ministry with regard to—"  
(1) The steps which should be taken with a view to the development and regulation after the war of aviation for civil and commercial purposes from a domestic, imperial and an international standpoint.  
(2) The extent to which it will be possible to utilize for the above purpose the trained personnel and the aircraft which the conclusion of peace may leave surplus to the requirements of the naval and military services of the United Kingdom and overseas dominions.

The report lays down the possibility of commercial air routes throughout British dominions, but says in connection therewith:

"We recognize, however, that military considerations must override all others."

By far the most remarkable portion of the report is the reservation made by Frank Pick, one of the members of the committee, when signing it. In it Mr. Pick says:

"The strategic position of this country in relation to the air differs fundamentally from the strategic position in relation to the sea. So long as the shores of the North Atlantic are occupied by the leading civilized peoples so long the British position is advantageous as a centre of sea power. But if air power is to usurp to any degree the place of sea power, and this seems probable so long as flight over land holds appreciable advantages over flight over sea, so the position of a country placed centrally as regards land must be superior to the position of a country placed centrally as regards water."

"The right to pass across other national territory without let or hindrance, relief from varying terms and conditions attaching to flight which may be onerous and irksome, the absence of customs and general tariff restrictions, and the reality of the absence of the apparatus for hampering or artificially routing trade are all wanted. On all these grounds it is submitted that the case for an international settlement is strengthened."

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General Maitland himself in a review of the airship situation makes this prediction:

"The many practical advantages which the airship possesses for commercial purposes are not, perhaps, always appreciated.  
"Present day airships, which in no way approach the limit of size, have a disposable lift of more than thirty tons, which enables them to embark on long flights without the necessity of descending for replenishment of fuel."

"There is no reason why an airship should not be fitted with engines as silent as those of a motor car. Sleeping accommodations can, in any case, be provided well away from the power plant, and there is complete absence of such noises as the singing of wires which would detract from the comfort of passengers in an airplane."

"The power plant can be readily split up into as many units as desired, and failure in the power plant does not involve immediate descent, while running repairs can easily be effected in the air."

"Even with landing grounds only ten miles apart, an airplane would be compelled to fly at a minimum height of about 3,000 feet, whereas an airship can cruise safely a few hundred feet above the ground, which considerably enhances the pleasure of the passengers by affording them an opportunity of enjoying the scenery."

## Market For Canada's Flax

Great Opportunity for Exporters in  
This Country

Montreal.—If Canada has the flax, then there is a splendid market open to her in the United Kingdom. That was the opinion expressed in Montreal by Mr. John Rae, of an old-established firm in London, who has visited many Canadian centres in order to ascertain the supplies of flax available for export from the Dominion.

Before the war, Mr. Rae pointed out, Great Britain secured the bulk of her flax from Russia, Holland and Belgium. At one time Russia is one of the market, while the supplies from Holland and Belgium are very limited, hence the British traders have cast their eyes toward Canada in the hope of finding a source of supply here. Mr. Rae pointed out that if Canada could compete with foreign countries, he did not see why she did not make a bid for that market and thus establish another export connection. This was the opportunity for Canada to develop this market while the other sources of supply are unable to continue under the abnormal conditions. With proper handling and a good quantity of flax, there was a great opportunity for export in this country. To handle the flax from the sowing to the finished product he did not think was advisable in Canada at the present time.

## World's Stormiest Place.

Is Said to Be Westernmost Point in  
Alaska

The stormiest place in all the world is said to be Cape Prince of Wales, which is the westernmost point in Alaska. It is marked by a considerable mountain 2,210 feet high, and fierce winds blow there perpetually. Storms from the Arctic Ocean assail this inhospitable region all the year round.

On the south side of the mountain are Eskimo dwellings—"igloos" dug underground and walled and roofed with timbers. No trees grow in that region, but the natives of far northern Alaska have always a plentiful supply of driftwood, carried from the Yukon river by an ocean current that skirts the coast. The underground igloos (constructed to escape the storm and wind) are so built as to form connecting rooms, with communicating doors that are mere holes through which the occupants are obliged to crawl on hands and knees. The only ventilation is afforded by the vertebra of a whale (which serves as an air tube), thrust up through the roof.

On the north (or Arctic) side of the cape is one of the most prosperous of native villages, whose inhabitants keep and breed reindeer, and sell the meat at a good price to passing ships.

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Some men's greatness is due to their smallness.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON FOR JULY 13

BAPTISM

I. The Apostles' Commission (Matt. 28:18-20).

1. The authority of Jesus (v. 13). God gave him all authority in heaven and on earth. As mediator and coming king, He possessed all authority. This authority extends over all the material world, angels, wicked men, devils and His own people. God highly exalted Him and gave Him a name which is above every name (Phil. 2:9). There is no other way of salvation, for the entire matter of redemption is in His hand (Acts 4:12). Since God has so highly honored Him, it is extreme folly to expect to be saved while disregarding Him.

2. The obligation of the apostles (vv. 19-20).

(1) It was to teach, that is, make disciples of all the nations (v. 19). They were to make known to the whole world that Christ had died to save sinners and that God had committed to Jesus the redemption of the world. Those who are Christ's disciples are bound to proclaim Him to others.

(2) Baptize those who believe (v. 19). "This is the divinely appointed way of making a public confession of faith in Christ. The disciples must publicly take a stand for Christ. The application of water symbolizes the purifying effect of the blood of Christ and solemnly dedicates to the service of God. This baptism must be in the name of the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, showing that the believer has been brought into definite relationship to each member of the Holy Trinity."

(3) Teach the disciples obedience (v. 20). Profession is not enough; it must issue in obedience. Faith must result in works. To call Jesus "Lord" and do not the things which he says profits nothing.

3. The all-sufficient promise (v. 20). The Lord had told the disciples what would happen to them after He had gone away. He made it plain that perils of all kinds awaited them. Though the difficulties were great, nothing mattered so long as they had the presence and fellowship of the all-powerful Savior and Lord.

II. The Baptism of the Eunuch (Acts 8:24-40).

1. Philip preached Jesus Christ to him (v. 35). At the invitation of the eunuch Philip joined himself to the church and found the eunuch reading from the fifty-third chapter of Isaiah. Beginning with this Scripture he preached Christ. He did not preach Christ as a great teacher, but as a savior who had suffered and died instead of the sinner. He preached Him as one who had offered himself as a ransom for many. The fact that the eunuch, a great statesman, needed an interpreter of the Scriptures, even such a plain passage as the fifty-third chapter of Isaiah, shows the absolute need of a preacher. The printed page is valuable, but there will always be the need of a preacher. "The gospel needs to be experienced before one can be a witness of its saving power."

2. The eunuch requesting baptism (v. 36).

When Christ is truly preached men naturally desire to confess Him in baptism. In many quarters baptism has been unduly emphasized, but in others it has been disregarded. It is highly important that an intelligent understanding of its meaning be possessed; for that of which Jesus Christ gave an example and a command is highly important.

3. Philip baptizing the eunuch (v. 38). Having secured from the eunuch the proper confession Philip baptized him. It is faith in Christ that saves, but those who have genuine faith desire to seal it in baptism.

4. The eunuch rejoicing (v. 39). Confession of Christ brings joy. Those who obey the commandments of the Lord can go on their way rejoicing.

## An Aviator For Life

Alcock Is One of Those Who Really  
Loves the Game

Capt. Jack Alcock, the Englishman who piloted the Vickers-Vimy airplane Newfoundland to Ireland, is an aviator for life, so far as he knows. He has never followed any other calling since he flew first, in 1909, when he was 17 years of age. He has designed machines and he has built them, but always has activities have centred about some phase of flying. There are fliers to whom their work is just work, and who are just as bored when they take a plane into the air as is the most stolid book-keeper at his desk, but Alcock is one of those who really loves the game and who is radiantly happy from the moment he begins to put on his flying clothes until he lands and takes them off.

Frankness may ruin a man, but duplicity dishonors him.

## Shock Left Her Weak and Nervous COULD NOT SLEEP

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## Fate Of An Arctic Aviator

Three Intrepid Men Have Never Been  
Heard From

The recent attempt to cross the Atlantic by aeroplane recalls to mind the fact that an attempt was made to fly to the North Pole in a balloon 20 years ago, by the noted Swedish scientist and aeronaut, Salomon August Andree and his two companions, Nils Strindberg and Ferdinand Frakel.

The three intrepid men were last seen sailing over the snowy peaks of Spitzbergen and have never been heard of since. Their fate is a mystery looked upon in the vast silence of the lands of eternal snow and ice.

Andree was not only an expert balloonist, he was also a skillful scientist, and he had carefully studied the question of Polar explorations. He observed that at certain seasons of the year a steady current of air floated toward the north. Andree's plan was to set sail in this current, float over the pole, alight and take observations, and then wait for a favorable current to bear him home again.

This, it must be remembered, was before balloons and aeroplanes had reached their present state of efficiency.

King Oscar II. of Sweden himself was a heavy subscriber to the fund which made the attempt possible, and at last, after months of waiting, the balloon was cut loose from its moorings on the 11th of July, 1899. Disaster threatened at the very outset, for the balloon, dipped suddenly, and only the frantic throwing overboard of ballast enabled the vessel to rise. It was not long before it was lost to sight. It was never seen again.

Twelve months of anxiety and suspense followed, and then the Swedish government sent out three search parties. Various rumors were traced to their source, every possible clue was followed up, but without any tangible result. One circumstantial report was to the effect that the Eskimos in the Northwest had seen a "great white house" descending from the skies, and that three men, starved to death, had been found in it.

Tracing parties were sent out, but it was impossible to find the tribe, and the truth of the story was left in doubt.

## Campaign On Anarchists

U.S. Government Makes Provision for  
Vigorous Steps Against  
Extremists

Washington.—Provision for vigorous steps by the federal government against bomb throwers and other anarchists and radicals, declared by government officials to be plotting the overthrow of the government, and spending \$2,000,000 monthly to that end, were made in the sundry civil appropriation bill, as reported to the senate.

In reporting the bill, the senate appropriations committee increased from \$1,400,000 to \$2,000,000 the fund of the department of justice for general suppression of crime. In addition, it added \$300,000 for a special fund to enforce the law against alien anarchists through deportations.

## Canada's Aerial Record

London.—At a dinner of the Canadian air force held to entertain the pilots assembled there had destroyed at a aggregate of 219 enemy machines. Gen. Currie announced that the air force would be maintained in Canada. He advocated the retention of identity of units that had served in France in the reorganized militia to maintain the traditions built up in the field.

## English Primate And Dry America

One of the Bravest Things History  
Had to Show

London, England.—Presiding at the annual meeting of the Church of England and Temperance Society at Lambeth Palace, the Archbishop of Canterbury described the drink prohibition in America as one of the most remarkable episodes in the whole history of social reform. "Our American brothers," he said, "always do things on an exceptional scale. There are never any half measures or any doubt about what they mean."

His Grace said that he had found the strongest difference of opinion amongst Americans as to what would happen during the next year. If everything went as it was supposed to go, America would be dry from ocean to ocean. How far facts would correspond with theory, and practice answer to law, they could not say, and he did not think it was wise to dogmatize as to what would be the result of prohibition. None of them, however, would be in any doubt as to the thankful recognition they would give to what was one of the bravest things history had to show—of a nation grappling with a nation's peril.

In England the best general public opinion had supported the restrictive policy which had been in force even where it had been most severely applied. Where restrictions were thought likely to prove most unpopular they had proved nothing of the kind. It would be fatuous today, because war was over, in regions where restrictions had proved to be not very unpopular, to relax these restrictions, because a certain number of people had interests involved. They must be resolved to use every bit of influence they could to secure the continuance of restrictions which had been proved to work so well.

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## Summer Course in Manitoba

A short course in agriculture and sociology, for the ministers and other rural leaders, under the joint auspices of Wesley College and the Manitoba Agricultural College will be given at the latter institution from July 28 to August 9. The speakers include Dr. George Albert Cox, of Union Theological Seminary, New York; Prof. O. H. Benson, director of boys' and girls' club work for the northwestern states; Prof. V. W. Jackson, B.S.A., of Manitoba agricultural college; G. W. Wood, B.S.A., professor of animal husbandry in Manitoba agricultural college; Rev. Prof. Hetherington, of Wesley College; President J. B. Reynolds, M.A.C.; Miss Kelso, director of home economics, M.A.C.; Dr. Anderson, author of "The Educator of the New Canadian"; Rev. Dr. Baird, of Manitoba College; Lieut.-Col. Wm. Grassie, Winnipeg.

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## Treaty With Poland

Support of Important International  
Conventions Promised

Paris.—The treaty which the entente powers and the United States signed with Poland has been made public.

Under this instrument, Poland agrees to protect the minorities against discrimination, assumes payment of such share of the Russian debt as shall be assigned to her by the inter-allied commission, and agrees to support important international postal, railway, telegraphs and miscellaneous conventions and undertakings incidental to the establishment of a national standing.

## "Black Watch"—The Best Black Plug Chewing Tobacco on the Market

No Successor to Earl of Reading

London.—No selection of an ambassador to Washington to succeed the Earl of Reading has yet been made by the British government, Andrew Bonar Law, government leader, stated in the House of Commons. Various suggestions have been made for filling the embassy post, Mr. Bonar Law said, but so far the government had been unable to get any of the gentlemen it desired to accept the appointment.

## Holloway Assumes Responsibility

Berlin.—Dr. Von Bethmann Holloway, former German chancellor, has formally asked the allied and associated powers to place him on trial, instead of the former emperor. The former chancellor says that he assumes responsibility for the acts of Germany during his term of office and places himself at the disposal of the allies.

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Friday, July 11th, 1919

## The Dawn of a New Immigration Policy

Mr. Calder, the minister of Immigration, in laying his Immigration bill before the house at Ottawa on the 29th April, made a powerful speech that attracted wide attention and given rise to much discussion. For all dwellers on the prairie it contains points of deep interest. It is refreshing beyond measure to see a cabinet minister rise in his place and with courage and frankness plainly tell the house and the country that the immigration policy pursued in the past years has been nothing short of "terrible." No political party in the last twenty-five years can escape reproach in this connection.

We will take the liberty of going much further than the hon. member—the policy followed has been criminal.

The great aim of quantity as the first essential, to the exclusion of quality, has always "apparently been the object of the scheme. To dump the immigrant on the Quebec dock and then leave him to his own reflections and devices, has been considered the acme of humane treatment. To allow a government department of the first rank, such as immigration to be controlled in such a fashion as to be completely out of touch with the provincial executives, has apparently been regarded as the most admirable and thorough method of dealing with an acute problem.

One of the glaring defects of the present system, is the absence of links between Ottawa and the provincial legislatures, and also between the latter and the village, town and city councils, together with the most important unit of all, the rural municipalities, in the matter of immigration.

With a sub department of immigration, attached to the provincial executives, a chain would be established between Ottawa and the rural councils.

These latter exclusively composed of men entirely connected with the land, would constitute a source of office at Ottawa, and therefore be a sheet anchor for the immigrant.

Assuming such a scheme to be feasible, one of the first points to consider would be the establishment of a thorough plan of scientific publicity. Liberal expenditure should be a marked feature. The cost to be apportioned between the councils and the sub department, and the Ottawa central office. Care being observed that the Federal government carried the heaviest proportion.

In this manner, in addition to the other reforms, it might be possible for many desirable localities, now shrouded in obscurity, emerge as the vitalizing light of extended public notice.

In thus very briefly alluding to a subject that so closely touches individual interests, as well as seriously affecting the future of the Middle West, we indulge in the hope that Mr. Calder will succeed in "settling his house in order."—Robert R. Jukes.

## The Wailing of the Siamese Twins

Whoso buildeth a bridge shall have meat.  
But the middlemen, tariff, and freight rates are the gophers that live on the wheat.

Old Saw re Sharpened.

We all know the old saying. A rose by any other name will smell as sweet, and by the same token the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in its efforts to secure an Industrial Reconstruction Association smells just as selfish to tariff laden Westerners, as without the patriotic camouflage. There are times when it seems to us, it is a lot easier to preach patriotism than to practice it. But the C.M.A. has beat us to the discovery. Away back in the wartime they discovered there was nothing so good for the upkeep of the revenue, (likewise the prosperity of the Canadian Manufacturer as a high tariff wall, but in case some interloper had the temerity to scale it with too much imported goods, they heightened it by a further war tax.

Of course they waxed rich on all this like the green bay trees, till it has become possible that in the town of Toronto, or is a part of it anyway there is more income tax paid than by the whole of the Western

Provinces! Now some may say, "Ha, there you are blaming these poor Manufacturers for robbing the country when all the time they're a source of revenue to it, with there big incomes. Granted, but how does it become possible to find so many men in one place whose incomes are swelling enough to attract the income tax duties, and so few men in the same position, among the class who produce goods manufactured by the Toronto group? Can it be that, in the hackneyed phrase, our revenue providers are paying a Revenue Paul because of the extortions wrung from Prairie Peter?

As a matter of fact, whatever decisions we may have in regard to them as paying our taxes for us, the C.M.A. have none themselves, they know it is only by their system of tariff robbery that they have attained to this position, which has given them enough money to back any government that will give them what they want, or defeat the one they want, as witness the campaign against reciprocity, engineered and financed by our bright-headed manufacturers patriots.

It is this fear of being robbed of their spoil which is making them blossom forth into such a perversion of facts, such juggling with the real facts of the revenue returns that the ordinary citizen gets his head turned and doesn't know where he's at. Maybe too, if he has not been following the course of Politics very closely he may even get the idea that it is rather thoughtless of the farmer to be shouting for tariff reform, at a time when there are evidently so many bills coming due to the poor Government. But then when a fellow has bills of his own overdue he does not take kindly to the suggestion that he should pay the other fellows for him, especially at the suggestion of a third party whose profits bulge so that they fair hit the income tax in the eye! And this is exactly the position. The farmer may pay no income tax, but on everything he wears, and uses, that is to say on the necessities of life, and the necessities of his industry he pays an indirect tax, everyday, by reason of the tariff, and while his produce is thrown on the world's markets at the mercy of the speculator, the middle man, freight rates etc, the National Policy allows the protected manufacturers to charge him the limit for everything he needs. Till it has become a matter of common scandal that in Canada where we ought by reason of its fruitful abundance to live cheaper than anywhere on the contrary living is higher than anywhere else.

But then again, (and this is a point which we never find sticking out for notice in either of the Siamese Twins walls of self pity) it is well known that for every dollar they leave with the Revenue, they pocket 43, and given the efficiency of a "protected" man we can easily see how he attains his distinguished position as a claimant for income tax papers. But though naturally he doesn't care to be advertising his "taking" little ways in the matter of three dollars, yet he resembles the foolish ostrich when he tries to hide the fact by saying that the Farmers' Platform provides no way of substitution for the withdrawal of tariff duties. The farmer, favor direct taxation, by the same method as the U.S.A. at present raises 69 per cent of its revenue, and only a paltry 21 per cent by customs duties. Space will not permit us to enter into the full details given by either the farmers or the manufacturers, but any one who goes over the Farmers' Platform after he has read some of the C.M.A.'s harangues with it, can easily see, unless artificially blind, where the legedmain comes in! Always when I come across either the C.M.A. or the C.I.A. or some of their ardent admirers shedding crocodile tears over the fate of the poor consumer—if the selfish profiteering farmer or gets his wits. I am reminded of a certain nursery tale. You remember in Alice through the Looking glass where Tweedle relates to Alice the tale of the platypus sprouting Walrus and the Callosus-minded Carpenter. These two worthies being hungry requested the little oysters to come for a pleasant walk, a pleasant talk, along the briny beach. We cannot do more than four, to give each a "hand to each."

Then after they had got them, a sufficient distance from the wisser oysters, having them on with a lot of mixed remarks about "Shoes—and Ships—and Sealing wax—of cabbages—and Kings."

"And why the seal is boiling hot, and whether pigs have wings."

Regular reconstruction raft, one might say. Then the two philosophers began weary of being good.

"A loaf of bread," the Walrus said, "is what we chiefly need."

"Pepper and vinegar besides,"

"Are very good indeed."

"Now if you're ready, Oysters dear,"

"We can begin to feed."

"But not on us!" the Oysters said.

"Turning a little blue."

"After such kindness that would be."

"A dismal thing to do."

"The night is fine," the Walrus said, "Do you admire the view?"

And to the sad tale of misplaced confidences goes on, so the Walrus trying hard to keep up his character of disinterested philanthropy, sheds enough barbaless tears which curiously enough does not prevent him from picking out the biggest oyster every time, but the Carpenter is callously candid.

"It seems a shame," the Walrus said, "To play them such a trick."

"After we've brought them out so far!"

"And made them trot so quick!"

"The Carpenter said nothing but."

"The butter's spread to thick!"

"I weep for you," the Walrus said, "I deeply sympathize!"

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Rev. A. H. Solheim, president of the Camrose Lutheran College, left Camrose on Wednesday to attend a Lutheran convention at Saskatoon, and from there he will go to his old home in Norway. Mr. Solheim will sail on July 12th on the Meganic, and expects to see marked changes in Norway after his absence of eighteen years.

## Jack Dempsey Champion

The big heavy weight scrap at Toledo, Ohio, on July 4th, was of considerable interest to local followers of ring sports and the result of the fight was eagerly waited for, and when it came, oh boy, it was a knockout to the supporters of Jess Willard, the title holder. Jack Dempsey knocked all the fight out of the big chess champion in three rounds. Willard will retire to private life with 100,000 berries tucked away, while Dempsey is on the road to fame and fortune.

## SCHOOL REPORT

School attendance report of 'Cool Springs S.D. No. 2360 for month of May.

Enrollment 10.  
Average attendance, 9.476.  
Percentage of attendance 94.76.

Following pupils came every day:  
Mabel Knudson, Mabel Fuder, Harold Fuder, Merle Knudson, Adolph Lovig.

For month of June.

Enrollment 11.

Average attendance, 10.736.  
Percentage of attendance 97.6.

Following pupils came every day:  
Mabel Knudson, Mabel Fuder, Harold Fuder, Olaf Larson, Toriel Larson, Merle Knudson, Adolph Lovig, Borgel Lovig, Anna Lovig.

Merle Knudson and Mabel Fuder came every day during the term.

Following just missed one day,  
Mabel Knudson, Adolph Lovig, Borgel Lovig.

## Battle Heights Report.

No. enrolled 15.  
Average attendance 14.65.  
Percentage of attendance 97.67.

Perfect attendance: Edith Hart, Alice Hart, Kathleen Hart, Quentin Kint, Donald Kint, Wayne Kint, Jack Bottars, Albert Bottars, Jack Headon, Jean Walker, Willie Dietrich.

## Class Standing:

Grade VIII: Quentin Kint 67, Edith Hart 61.  
Grade IV: Kathleen Hart 82, Donald Kint 66, Jack Headon 65.  
Grade II: Connie Mott 90, Clare Kint 86, Albert Bottars 86.  
Grade I: Wayne Kint 77, Arthur Massie 66.

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**LOST**—black mare with colt at side, both have white star on face, mare swished on right shoulder. Suitable reward for recovery. W. T. Barber, Irma. 21-23p

**Strayed**—from the Clark Manor district, one light-bay mare, 3 yrs old, no brand, narrow white stripe on face, light hind foot white, wt about 1200. \$5.00 reward for information leading to her recovery. C. M. Steele, Clark Manor P.O. 21-3

## NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Municipal District of Buffalo Coulee No. 453.

Take notice that His Honor Judge Taylor, Judge of the District Court of the district of Edmonton will at the sittings of the Court of Verification on Thursday, the 2nd day of October 1919, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Municipal District of Buffalo Coulee No. 453.

Dated the 29th day of May, 1919. Arthur Curtis, Sec-Treas. of the Municipal District of Buffalo Coulee No. 453, Saltaux P.O. Alta. 17-24u

The editor of the Killam News took a ride, with Lieut. Gorman from Killam to Loughheed in his aeroplane, and for a short time at least he soared far above his fellow-men who were plodding slowly along on the earth. He talks knowingly of air pockets, atmospheric conditions, aerial observation, and the "feel" of the aeroplane as it rose and fell in the air without apparent reason. While he had great confidence in the pilot he states when it comes to doing spiral nose dives, side slips, loop the loop, and the falling leaf, he would rather have hold of the "joy stick" himself. His little old fiver looks good to him yet.

## VIKING

July 1st was a very quiet day in town most of our citizens taking in the sports in neighboring towns and hamlets.

Miss G. Hicks left for Edmonton last week where she will spend the school holidays. She finished her third successful term of school here.

Jas. Morrison, of the gas well drillers, got a bad cut over the eye Monday from a bolt that struck him. He came to town and had the doctor dress the wound.

The Security elevator was struck by lightning during the severe electrical storm last Saturday afternoon. The prompt work of the fire brigade put out the flames caused by the lightning and saved the building.

Mrs. Ryley, of Welland, Ont., and Miss Marjorie Gray, of Simcoe, Ont., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hilliker. Mrs. Ryley is a sister, and Miss Gray is a niece of Mrs. Hilliker.

Hopes for some sort of a crop got an added stimulus Saturday by a good local shower which moistened the ground for a considerable radius from town. It didn't last long enough, but we have to be thankful for small provincial favors.

"Chuck" Jennings, eight miles south of town, distinguished himself by some clever broncho busting and riding at the Stampede. He took prizes for bull dogging a steer, throwing and roping. He also rode "Calico" the buckingest broncho at the round-up.

A big plate glass window slipped from its place in the former Owens & Johnson store Saturday afternoon and struck John Tymich, just above the knee, while he was helping to fasten the window securely in its place. He was rushed to the doctor's office bleeding profusely. Upon examination it was found that an artery had been cut and Mr. Tymich lost considerable blood before the flow could be stopped. He was removed to his home where he is resting easily. It will be several days before he will be able to stir around.

A severe electrical storm accompanied by a high wind and rain swept this community Saturday afternoon, following, intense heat wave experienced during the day. The air was virtually charged with electricity, several of our citizens experiencing electrical shocks during the storm. The Security elevator was struck, causing some damage to the roof. A bolt was also grounded in a nearby field. The local telephone exchange was the scene of several flashes and the service was suspended during the storm. No report of damages in the country have come in.

The Mance Farming Company won the championship for Alberta bred Hackney females and the grand championship as well, with R. A. McKenzie reserve in both cases. The Mance Farming company also won the class in Hackneys for three, the progeny of one registered stallion.

In the class for combination saddle and harness horse, the Mance Farming company again won out with "Lady Rhodora," Mrs. Norman Harrison of Pridde, second with "Creola."

Lieut. Aaron Dayton of the R. A. F., returned home from overseas on July 1st after being almost five years in the service. Lieut. Dayton left Viking in August 1914 as a trooper in the 19th Alberta Dragoons with the first seven men who volunteered under Lieut. Watson (now Capt.) As a trooper he saw much service in France and carries a ribbon for the battle of Mons. After about three years with the Dragoons he transferred to the Royal Air Force as Cadet. During his aerial training he crashed and was considerably hurt in the fall. He continued his training after convalescing and earned his wings and commission. The armistice put an end to his ambitions to strafe the Hun in the air.

While in England he took unto himself a bride who accompanied him here. Mr. and Mrs. Dayton have received the hearty welcome and good wishes from the community as a whole since their return.

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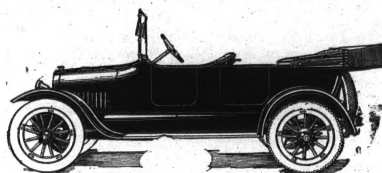
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# Kaiser Will Have Trial In London

London.—William Hohenzollern, the former German emperor, will be brought to England in a British ship and imprisoned in the Tower of London, according to the Daily Mail.

The death penalty will not be sought, the newspaper points out, but if he is found guilty, the allies will ask his banishment for life to a remote island, following the precedent of Napoleon's exile on St. Helena.

The international trial court had intended to try the former emperor alone, the Daily Mail says, but it is possible that the former crown prince Frederick will also be arraigned before it.

The note to Holland requesting the extradition of the former German emperor, it is understood, will be signed by twenty-two or twenty-three of the powers.

The former German emperor's guards at Amerongen have been increased, according to the Daily Mail correspondent, and his staff has been reduced. Lieut. Gen. Von Estorff has left for Berlin. Well-informed circles at The Hague, this correspondent says, do not believe that Holland will give the ex-emperor up to the allies. They are of the opinion that he will remain in Holland for the rest of his life.

Paris.—The officers' corps of the Prussian army and German navy, according to a Berne dispatch to the Havas Agency, have sent a lengthy appeal to the Queen of Holland not to permit the extradition of the former German emperor.

**Winnipeg Strike Solved Nothing**

Winnipeg.—The Western Labor News says: "After nearly nine weeks of strike and strife the metal shop workers went back to work. That is the strike is off, though some men are not reinstated and some others refuse to go back on the conditions offered."

"The big three employers are still opposed to collective bargaining, as understood by trades unions. They refuse to deal with the business agents of the unions. Some of the smaller firms do recognize the unions in the true sense."

Saskatoon.—At the Empire theatre in Saskatoon and the Regina theatre, Regina, for the first weeks there will be offered three times each day one of the famous Pantages vaudeville shows. These will comprise some 20 or 30 of the premiere vaudeville artists of the day, offering, in conjunction with movies, a two-hour show that should be a welcome added attraction to the already strong fair attractions.

**Getting Rid of a Few**  
Charleston, S.C.—A trainload of Germans, formerly interned at Fort Oglethorpe, embarked on the transport Princess Matoka for Rotterdam to be repatriated.

## Postal Workers Have Failed To Attain Object

Ottawa.—The government has decided that it cannot recede from the policy it has so far pursued in the matter of locked-out postal workers in Winnipeg. A delegation of members of the Amalgamated Postal Workers took a train back to the West, having failed in an attempt to persuade the government to reconsider its policy of making permanent appointments of postal employees who acted as strike breakers when the regular postal employees came out in a sympathetic strike on May 15.

The delegation was composed of C. Silvert, president of the Amalgamated Postal Workers, Victoria; L. Pick-up, Winnipeg; J. V. Johnston, Winnipeg; and A. Venables, Calgary.

"We came at the request of the strikers," said Mr. Silvert, "with a view to securing a modification of the position the government has taken on this question. We could not ask for less than reinstatement for the employees locked out."

"In an interview with Sir Robert Borden, the premier said the question resolved itself into three points: "1. Reinstatement as requested. "2. To modify its attitude and re-instate some of the men; or, "3. Adhere rigidly to the terms of the ultimatum issued by Hon. Mr. Meighen."

"We went before the cabinet for its reply, and it does not see its way clear to recede from the position it has already taken. We have failed in our object."

## Food Riots In Italy

Protests at Price of Food of Serious Nature

Forli, Italy.—After a great meeting here, in which a vast crowd protested against the high cost of living, the people, excited by inflammatory speeches, attacked, sacked and destroyed many shops which refused to sell commodities at lower prices. Soon the fury of the mob made no distinction and had no limits. All the principal shops were plundered and the mobs controlled the entire city. They took possession of lorries and transported all kinds of goods and food supplies from the pillaged shops to the chamber of labor.

On the walls of the chamber they wrote: "These goods are at the disposal of the people."

The situation grew worse during the day, assuming a revolutionary character, and the mob continued to loot and destroy all kinds of property. The food riots here, however, differ fundamentally from those at Spezia early in June. At Spezia the rioters looted for their own advantage, while at Forli most of the wheat taken from the shops was transferred to the care of the municipality or the chamber of labor to be distributed to the people at low prices.

The value of the goods stored by the municipality was estimated at 8,000,000 lire. The owners of those shops which escaped sackings brought their keys to the municipality, which is composed of socialists and republicans, and they ordered that the shops be reopened and the goods sold for half price under the supervision of representatives of the demonstrating masses.

Despite this apparent return to order in the "pious moment," the losses are enormous owing to the destruction of shop fittings and commodities which could not be easily transported, such as gasoline, which was burned in great quantities.

## Peace River Coal Leases Cancelled

Smoky River Leases Were Subject of Investigation By Senate Committee

Ottawa.—As a result of the investigation by the select committee of the senate appointed several days ago to enquire into the question of certain valuable coal leases in the Smoky River district of the Alberta Peace river, some 200 miles north of Edmonton, leases have been cancelled by order of Hon. Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior. As a consequence the application for the right to build a railway to be known as the Athabasca, Grande Prairie and Vermilion railway will go no further than its present stage.

Officials of the geological survey branch have testified before the senate committee that the coal area in question is probably the richest in Canada, and that if developed and connected with the main lines to the south it would be able to supply the whole of the west with a coal almost equal in quality to the Pennsylvania anthracite.

## Hoover Resigns As Food Controller

Will Remain as Director of Newly Organized Grain Corporation

New York.—The resignation of Herbert Hoover as chairman of the board of directors of the food administration grain corporation and reorganization of the corporation under the name "United States Grain Corporation" was announced at the annual meeting of stockholders here. Hoover's place as chairman will be filled by Julius Barnes, wheat director, who also is president of the corporation. It was said Mr. Hoover would continue as a director, but that his resignation of the chairmanship marked the first step toward his retirement from public life.

**Builders Are Back**  
Winnipeg.—Members of thirteen building trades unions, who have been on strike for the past nine weeks, have returned to work.

With the reopening of work contractors began to rush plans for construction that was in prospect this spring, and whose abandonment has not been forced by the shortness of the remaining building season.

**Lord Raleigh Dead.**  
London.—Lord Raleigh (John William Strutt) has passed away. He was known as the "peer shopkeeper," having established a chain of milk shops in London which were supplied from his own farm. He was born in 1842.

Cry tomorrow, if you must, but laugh today.

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## Reign Of Terror In Russia

Women and Children Are Slain By the Bolsheviks

New York.—A graphic story of a reign of terror in Bolshevik Russia is recited by John A. Embury, United States consul at Omsk, the seat of the Kolchak government, who has arrived here on a leave of absence. Mr. Embury declared no language could adequately picture the scenes of murder, violation of women, arson and theft which he had seen personally or had described to him by credible eye-witnesses.

Mr. Embury backed his story, particularly that of the ravage of the city of Ufa, by photographs, many of which he declared he had taken himself, and which record appalling instances of wholesale butchery of women and children.

Mr. Embury said he had visited Ufa immediately after the Bolshevik withdrawal before Kolchak's forces. He learned from survivors of Bolshevik occupation, he said, that the Bolshevik soldiers had looted the entire city and then organized a "government" consisting of committees. One of these committees, he said, was called the extraordinary committee on executions.

This committee, he declared, had all members of the city government rounded up, and ordered virtually all of them shot. The head of the committee, he said, had personally executed the president of the council, who was brought before him on a stretcher.

A few days after his arrival in Ufa, Mr. Embury said he followed a crowd of residents into a nearby wood, where they came upon scores of bodies of women and children, disclosed by the melting snow, who had been driven into the woods and brutally slain. He exhibited a photograph showing twenty of these victims, the bodies of many mangled almost past recognition. About 200 bodies were found in the woods, he said. Pupils at the Ufa high school, he said, had been lined up and questioned as to their sympathies, and all who did not profess sympathy for the Bolsheviks were shot or put to work of the most degrading character.

At Ossa, a city of about 30,000, Mr. Embury declared 2,000 bodies were found on the outskirts when the snow melted. He displayed photographs of some of these victims taken by Col. Teusler of the American Red Cross.

## Pensions Bill Is Up For Discussion

New Measure Considered Satisfactory By Major Williams, M.P.

Vancouver.—"A new pensions' bill will be brought in parliament this session. It will not please everyone. It does not meet entirely with my approval, but I want to tell you that it undoubtedly meets the most general provisions of any pensions' bill in the world," said Major George B. Andrews, M.P. for Centre Winnipeg, speaking as a delegate at the G.W.V.A. convention.

The statement made by Major Andrews followed the presentation by the resolutions committee of a long resolution comprising no fewer than 17 sections, in which the desires of the veterans as set out in a large number of resolutions from various branches had been incorporated, and which it was hoped that the Dominion convention would endorse.

## Help In Time Of Trouble

Britain and States to Act in Concert in Aiding France

Paris.—The Franco-British and Franco-American treaty, the Journal says, provide that the intervention of Great Britain and the United States on behalf of France against Germany shall be interdependent. Great Britain and the United States, it is advised, will only help France by combined action and not separately. The paper declares that their intervention must occur if the disarmament of the Rhine territory is not sufficient to protect France from German aggression.

**No Abatement in Forest Fires.**  
Halifax, Ont.—Two more settlers in the bush country west of the town are reported to have lost their farm buildings in the Sharp Lake fire, which is still raging. The victims are named Olsen and Fernholm. Other properties are in grave danger as the flames are spreading before a rising wind.

Some slight showers of rain are reported to have fallen in different parts of the country, but the effect on the fires have been negligible. At Frederick House the plant of the Beaver Board company is menaced, but is still standing.

# British Premier On Making Of Peace

London.—Rt. Hon. David Lloyd George, the premier, had a good reception from all sections of the House of Commons. His speech was largely impromptu and discursive. He told of the peace conference's efforts to prevent wars in the future, and reviewed some of the striking restrictions put upon Germany in the treaty signed at Versailles.

Discussing the determination of the allied and associated powers to place on trial William Hohenzollern, the former German emperor, as the man chiefly responsible for the war, he declared that if such a course had been followed after other wars "there would have been fewer wars."

It was the intention to make such an example of Germany as to discourage others from "ever again attempting to repeat this infamy."

There was a significant passage when the premier first mentioned the league of nations. Many of the members cheered, but seemingly nearly an equal number burst into laughter. "I beg of you to try it. I beg of you to take it seriously," the premier protested. Proceeding, he declared: "If the world could be saved from the horrors of war, it would be a great achievement."

One member shouted, "Nobody wants it."

The premier paid special tribute to the work of the British expert advisers, which, he said, had been the object of the admiration of the nations at the conference, and ended with an appeal for the victory loan, with one of his typical dashes: "Don't demoralize the spirit of patriotism."

Speaking of the territorial terms of the treaty, he said the territory taken from Germany was a matter of restoration. It was restoration of Alsace Lorraine, he said, taken forcibly the land to which its population was deeply attached; it was a restoration of Schleswig-Holstein, the taking of which he described "the meanest of Hohenzollern frauds, robbing a helpless nation in the presence they were not doing it, and then retaining the land against the wishes of the population"; a restoration of "Poland, torn to bits by Russian, Austrian and Russian autonomy and now reunited under the flag of Poland." And, he added, "they are all territories which ought not to belong to Germany."

The British delegation, the premier said, has taken a stand resolutely opposing any attempt to put a predominantly German population under Polish rule, as it would be foolish.

## Seats May Be Reserved By Mail

Regina.—Seats may be reserved for parties by mail at the Pantages theatres in both Saskatoon and Regina for the big fair week attraction. The program has been specially selected to suit the times, and will be found to comprise some of the very best vaudeville of the day. It is suggested that you drop a line to the manager of either of these theatres stating your wishes, and you can rely on prompt and courteous attention.

## Council Of Five Directs Conference

Paris.—Premier Clemenceau, Foreign Minister Balfour, Secretary of State Lansing, Foreign Minister Pichon, Baron Makino and Viscount Tittoni of Italy, decided to constitute a new council of five. This council of five will have as its members Foreign Minister Balfour, Secretary Lansing, M. Pichon, Foreign Minister Tittoni and Baron Makino, head of the Japanese delegation. The council will temporarily assume direction of peace conference affairs. A council of ten will not be constituted at the present.

Foreign Minister Tittoni made it clear at the meeting that Italy desires that all territory taken from Austria be definitely disposed of in the Austrian treaty. This immediately projects into the foreground the Fiume question, which it had been hoped could be avoided.

While the council received the admission from Signor Tittoni that the new Italian delegates will be more considerate than the old, it was a distinct disappointment when Tittoni expressed Italy's desire to have all the territory taken from Austria definitely allotted in the Austrian treaty, as this fore shadows a lengthy discussion.

The council decided to appoint immediately a committee to execute the Austrian treaty, also a committee for the execution of reparations, and still a third to outline the Bulgarian frontier.

The council will hear the remaining delegates and M. Maklakhoff, the Russian ambassador at Paris, on the Rumanian boundary, and especially the disposition of Besarabia, a large part of which Rumania claims, and is at present administering, much against the Russian commission in Paris. The Russians insist that Rumania seized this territory under the guise of a specially created local government, which immediately ceased to exist after the Rumanians gained control.

The agreements between France and the United States, and France and Great Britain, for the defence of France against attack by Germany, it is understood, will not become valid as far as Great Britain is concerned until the Franco-United States convention is ratified by the United States senate.

Belgium has named its two members of the commission which will revise the treaty of 1839, and the peace conference has requested Holland to name its members so that a meeting can be held soon in Paris.





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  2. A good deal of patience.
  3. A good cause.
  4. A good lawyer.
  5. A good trade mark.
  6. Good witnesses.
  7. A good jury.
  8. A good judge.
  9. Good luck.

## Genuine Aspirin Has "Bayer Cross"

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## A Foreigner

"The professor seems a trifle cast down."  
"Just a little flabbergasted. He uses very correct English."  
"Yes, a slangy salesgirl had to call a doorwalker to interpret for her. She thought the professor was some kind of a foreigner."

## Worth Seeing

"Lady outside wants to see you."  
"I wonder if she's worth seeing?"  
"She is. Blue eyes, golden hair, perfect figure. Oh, boy!"

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## Japan Tourists Goal

30,000,000 Yen From Influx of Foreigners in 1918

Japan receives from visitors to her shores a sum exceeding the value of her exports of coal.

The mikado's empire is estimated to have received more than 30,000,000 yen from the influx of foreigners in 1918, or \$2,000,000 more than the total exports of coal made by Japan. Japanese coal dominates the fuel situation in this part of the world.

The disorders in Russia have sent visitors to this nationality up from approximately 2,000 a year to over 8,000 in 1918. Those of British nationality have remained at an average figure of 3,000 a year, their movement not being appreciably affected by the great war so far as volume is concerned.

The Dutch have increased decidedly, now numbering approximately 500. The French have doubled their number. French subjects to the extent of 600 passing through Japan in 1918. The restraints resulting from the war have been most pronounced in the case of the United States citizens.

## Where Babies Are Salted

The strange custom of salting newborn babies is still practiced in certain regions of Europe and Asia. The method varies with the differing nationalities of the peoples employing it. The Armenians of Russia cover the entire skin of the infant with very fine salt. This is left on the baby for three hours or more, when it is washed off with warm water.

A mountain tribe of Asia Minor are even more peculiar in this regard than the Armenians, for they are alleged to keep their new-born babies covered with salt for a period of 24 hours. The modern Greeks also sprinkle their babies with salt. The mothers imagine that this practice brings health and strength to their offspring, and serves to keep away the evil spirits as well.

## SAVE THE CHILDREN

Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house may feel that the lives of their little ones are reasonably safe during the hot weather. Stomach troubles, cholera infantum and diarrhoea carry off thousands of little ones every summer, most have a safe medicine at hand to give promptly. Baby's Own Tablets relieve these troubles, or if given occasionally to the well child will prevent their coming on in summer because they regulate the bowels and keep the stomach sweet and pure. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25c a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## Says Communism Will Succeed In Hungary

Bela Kun Declares Allies Should Raise Blockade

Budapest—"The allied policy toward Hungary should be one of non-interference in our internal affairs, and the allies also should raise the blockade," Bela Kun, foreign minister of the present Hungarian government, told the Associated Press correspondent, in discussing assertions that Hungary had been interfering with the affairs of the Austrian republic. He also expressed confidence that communism would succeed in Hungary.

Resuming his discussion of the reported friction with the Austrian republic, Minister Kun said: "It is altogether untrue. Austria is seeking with this allegation to deceive the public so that it may be enabled to continue the domination of Hapsburg capitalism. It is also untrue that we bought rifles and guns from the Italians. Our policy is peace. Sooner or later our frontiers, now impossible, will be altered, when the allies understand the situation better, and when they realize that the best policy is peace dictated by reason.

A man always tries to follow the straight and narrow path when it comes to shovelling snow.

Penury is often the unexpected wages of the pen.

The more innings a man has the more he enjoys his outings.

## International Air Race Announced

Toronto.—An international aerial race, which will start simultaneously from Toronto and New York, will be held on August 25 with the Prince of Wales as the starter. It has been announced here Sunday that the prize of \$5,000 and a trophy have been offered by John M. Bowman, of New York. It is expected there will be more than two score entries.

The Foe of Indigestion.—Indigestion is a common ailment and few are free from it. It is a most distressing complaint and often the suffering attending it is most severe. The very best remedy is Farnell's Vegetable Pills taken according to directions. They rectify the irregular action of the stomach and restore healthy action. For many years they have been a standard remedy for dyspepsia and indigestion, and are highly esteemed for their qualities.

The professor of elocution was instructing the young man in the art of public speaking.

"When you have finished your lecture," he said, "you must bow gracefully and leave the platform on tip-toe."

"Why on tip-toe?" queried the youth.

"So as not to wake the audience," replied the professor.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

It is said that contentment is better than riches—but most people are willing to take chances with the riches.

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The Oil for the Athlete.—In rubbing down, the athlete can feel electric fire. It renders the muscles and sinews pliable, takes the soreness out of them and strengthens them for strains that may be put upon them. It stands pre-eminent for this purpose, and athletes who for years have been using it can testify to its value as a lubricant.

Hung Hats on Kitchener's Peg

"Hang your hat on Kitchener's peg," was the word that went down the line when a group of United States fighting men passed through the lobby of the House of Lords, London. And every American took off his hat and hung it for a second on the peg that bore the name of Lord Kitchener. It was a breach of regulations, but a showing of regard for the dead field marshal that the British appreciated.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Ship Centennaries

The ship of today, even without any submarine risks, cannot hope to attain the ripe old age of its forerunners. Nelson's Victory was over 40 years old when she took part in the battle of Trafalgar, and the Betsy Cairns, according to tradition, brought over William and Mary in 1688, survived until 1824, when she was wrecked at the mouth of the Tyne.

Lloyd's Register for 1910 contained the Olivia, built in 1819, and, writing in 1833, Admiral Martin recorded that the small vessel in which James II. escaped from Rochester was still in use conveying goods from one dockyard to another.

## Kaiser May Submit To An Enquiry

The Hague.—The former kaiser's attitude toward the allied demand that he be held responsible for the war is dependent on the lengths to which the allies intend to carry their examination, it was reported. It was unofficially said that Wilhelm would not object to giving himself up to an allied tribunal if it merely passed judgment on the role he played in starting the war, in violating neutrality and in nonobservance of international law.

A woman may pretend to be convinced against her will, but she never is.

## A Wonderful Discovery Cures Catarrh Permanently

Formerly doctors prescribed stomach treatment for Catarrh and Bronchitis. They seldom cured and Catarrh has become a national disease. Today the advanced physician fights Catarrh by medicated air. He fills the lungs, nose and throat with the antiseptic vapor of Catarrhazone. It is easy then for Catarrhazone to cure. It contains the essences of pure pine balsams, reaches all the germs and destroys the disease. Every case of Catarrh, Bronchitis and Sore Throat can be cured by Catarrhazone. The dollar outfit lasts two months and is guaranteed to cure; small size 50c. retail size 25c. all dealers or Catarrhazone Co., Kingston, Ont.

## Britain's Gigantic Losses During Drive

Minister of Munitions Asks for Vote of Provision of 185,000,000 Pounds

London.—In the house of commons P. G. Kellaway, deputy minister of munitions, asked for a vote of a provision of £185,000,000 for the year ending March 31, of which £90,000,000 is an aftermath of the war, and the balance represents supplies to other departments of the government, including estimates of the war office, air ministry and local government boards, the last mentioned being purchases for the government's housing scheme.

The total expenditure of the ministry of munitions since its establishment was £1,834,507,941. Mr. Kellaway revealed that the British losses in materials during the German offensive in the spring of 1918 were 1,000 big guns, 10,000 tons of ammunition, 4,000 machine guns, 400,000 rifles, 700 trench mortars and 200 tanks, yet within a fortnight all had been replaced, and in many cases with superior weapons. On the day the Hindenburg line was broken, the British fired 943,000 shells, more than were fired in the whole South African war. Fifteen thousand tons of poison gas were supplied in 1918 alone.

The introduction of a cost system saved the country £300,000,000 in the ministry of munitions alone; 7,344 contracts, involving £102,000,000, were still running, and disposals by the department had realized £130,000,000 to date. It was getting such good prices for the state that it was now accused of profiteering. Six hundred and fifty thousand pounds sterling has been realized from the sale of motor transports during the last three weeks.

Statue of Queen Victoria for B.C.

London.—A bronze statue of Queen Victoria, 13 feet high, and weighing two tons, is shortly to be conveyed by steamer for the erection in the parliament house, garden at Victoria, B.C. It was fashioned some years ago for the British Columbia government and it is hoped that it will arrive in time to be unveiled by the Prince of Wales.

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Japan Sends More Troops to Russia

Tokio.—Japan is sending reinforcements, consisting of a brigade of infantry and a company each of cavalry and engineers, to Vladivostok, because of conditions existing in the maritime province of Siberia, it is officially announced. The Bolsheviks recently have been active in this region, and the announcement says, "have often attacked Japanese contingents, causing casualties."

"Black Watch"—The Best Black Plug Chewing Tobacco on the Market

Help for Farmers

Regina, Sask.—According to the announcement of A. E. Wilson, seed grain commissioner of the Dominion government with headquarters here, the sum of \$5,000,000 was expended for the relief of farmers who experienced a shortage of crop with consequent lack of seed grain, in the three prairie provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Nearly 4,000,000 bushels of seed grain were distributed between last fall and this spring.

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves' Worm Expeller to drive out the parasites.

Boots for Ranks of Canadian Navy

Ottawa.—In order to secure 500 officers and men required for service in Canadian navy, the department of naval service has decided to offer a bonus over and above the present approved rate of pay and becoming effective in the case of all who joined the navy subsequent to June 1, 1919. The bonus will be 75 cents per day for seamen, \$1 per day for petty officers, sub-lieutenants, lieutenants, lieutenant commanders, commanders, captains and equivalent ranks.

The bonus is given because of the impossibility of securing recruits at the present rate of pay. Provision is also made for married allowances for married men and officers.

Girls are delicate vessels, which require a small fortive every season to keep them in sails.

There is many a slip after the cup touches the lip.



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## Spring Fever—What Is It?

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When you are constipated waste matter remains in the intestines, decays, forms poisons which are absorbed into your blood and carried by it to every cell in your body. When your cells are thus poisoned, of course you have no "pep."

Pills, salts, mineral waters, castor oil, etc., merely force the bowels to act, and make constipation and self-poisoning a habit. Nujol is entirely different from drugs as it does not force or irritate the bowels.

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## Alfalfa Supreme By Chemical Test

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In a report issued from the chemistry department of the Manitoba Agricultural College, corn, Sudan grass, millet, alfalfa, cereals, rape, and buckwheat are compared as to their feeding value. The analysis turns out very favorably to alfalfa, which in its natural state is found to be about double its closest competitor among the cereals in protein, 50 per cent. higher than Sudan grass in carbohydrates, and much the highest in fat. On account of the stems the ash content is fairly high, however. Sudan grass is medium high in protein, very high in acid-forming elements (it should be especially valuable here in winter feeding), and contains nearly 15 per cent. of fat. Cereals and peas, and corn stand about third in the list in feeding value. The high succulence of corn is of especial value in feeding dairy animals.

## ON THE MARRIAGE DAY

Romance ceases and history begins and corns begin to go, too, when "Putnam's" is applied—it takes out roots, branch and stem. Nothing so sure and painless as Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor; try "Putnam's," 25c at all dealers.

## Soldiers Take Up Alberta Land

Total Applications for Loans Are Over Four Thousand

Edmonton, Alta.—Alberta leads all other provinces of the Dominion in the number of soldiers taking up farming through the efforts of the soldier settlement board. The total applications made in Alberta for loans are just over four thousand, exceeding by nearly a thousand those made in any other province, while the total number of loans already approved is 1,122, more than one hundred more than any other province, east or west. During the first two weeks of June more than \$2,000,000 had been loaned to soldier settlers, while the total loans since the establishment of the board in Canada now have reached the huge sum of fourteen and a half million dollars.

A word to the wise is sufficient—if you call him a liar.

The bigot is always sure of something he knows nothing about.

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## MONEY ORDERS

Dominion Express Money Orders are on sale in five thousand offices throughout Canada.

## Too Deep for Him

An ambitious young author sent a humorous paragraph to the editor of a daily paper. Time passed, and he heard nothing, nor was it printed. So he wrote to inquire about it. "I sent you a joke about ten days ago. I have heard nothing respecting its safe receipt, and should be glad to hear whether you have seen it?" The editor's reply was as follows: "Your joke arrived safely, but up to the present we have not seen it."

## The Bravest Man

Modest young lieutenant (reporting to C.O. after a thrilling raid in No. 10 Man's land): Captain, I wish to report Private Hick's conduct in the highest terms of praise. He is the bravest man in the world. He followed me every place I went.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

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**Lutheran Conference**  
**To Begin On July 1st**

The second annual religious con-  
ference of the Lutheran church in  
the province will begin in Camrose  
on July 11, and continue until July  
20. A ministerial conference will  
be in progress from July 11 to 13,  
and the week from July 13 to 20  
will be devoted to a religious series  
of services at which noted speakers  
will be in charge. This conference  
will be largely attended by Scandi-  
navian people particularly, and it  
is thought the number might reach  
one thousand. The committee is  
hopeful that the conference will in  
no way conflict with the fair, but  
as it was planned in January last,  
it would be impossible to change  
the dates. —Camrose Canadian.

## The Jarrow Page

This page is devoted to the interests of Jarrow and District

### JARROW

Jas. Herron left for Edmonton  
Sunday to celebrate with the city  
folks. Fair week.

Many are contemplating going to  
the city on Wednesday when the  
special train runs.

Mr. and Mrs. Waite attended the  
Wainwright sports with Rev. and  
Mrs. Bailey.

The Chauvin-Alsopp Co. of Ed-  
monton had some land buyers down to look  
over the district on Saturday and  
A.E. Peterson has likely disposed  
of his half section in consequence.

Those who took in the 'stampede'  
were, Mrs. Firkus and family, Jas.  
Morrison, Blanche Schaffner, Mr.  
and Mrs. McGee, Ross Phillippe,  
E. Dabs and Oscar Wolf. If there  
were any others who were absent  
from Jarrow we have not heard  
their names.

We take pleasure in welcoming  
back our old friend Kenneth Carter.  
Mr. Carter has served at the front  
since the beginning of the world  
war and was a veteran of the Boer  
war. He brings back with him, Mrs.  
Carter and a baby girl.

The Jarrow U.F.A. sports were a  
huge success and everyone had a  
good time. A few from this district  
went to Wainwright and to the  
stampede, but we had no difficulty  
in winning a good crowd even with  
these other attractions so close at  
hand. A full report of the program  
will appear in another column.

A barn dance and basket social  
will be held in Albert Firkus' barn  
on Friday, July 11th. No suitable  
building was available in town after  
the sports and although a few danc-  
ed in the creamery, the UFA feel  
that they should round out their  
annual sports with a real good  
crowd in a good sized building. This  
is more or less of an annual event,  
as Mr. Firkus gives a barn dance  
every year and always has a large  
crowd.

## Jarrow Sports Grand Success

The 5th Annual Sports, Picnic  
and Dance of the Jarrow Local  
Union No. 358 UFA was held at  
Jarrow on Dominion-day July 1st,  
and in spite of the numerous at-  
tractions on this day in the sur-  
rounding district did itself in the  
numbers present and the splen-  
did program of events put up by  
the committee in charge. The prize  
list has been augmented by the  
Jarrow merchants as follows:

Holloway Bros. 2 sacks flour, and  
best pair of Mens boots in store.  
Manager Royal Bank, \$2.00.  
Nils Lindholm, \$2.00.  
J.D. Manners, \$5.00.  
W. Mathews, 2 boxes of cigars, box  
of chocolates.  
E.C. Dairy Co. kept ice cream, \$6.  
Ainslee, 1 Stilton cheese.  
Imperial Lbr Co. \$5.00.  
Arnold Christenson, \$5.00.  
A. McGee, \$5.00.  
S. Cameron, a sharp plow share.  
Jarrow Auto Co., spark plug and  
gasoline.  
Jang Lee, \$5.00.

The junior foot races which are a  
great attraction to the children on  
account of the number and good  
prize money given which is quickly  
exchanged for the good things sold  
at the refreshment booth.

There was the usual jumping and  
foot races for men. But perhaps the  
most exciting race of the seniors  
was the married ladies race which  
was won by Mrs. A. Christenson  
with Mrs. S. Sisson a good second.  
There was as usual a fine turnout of  
horsemen for the horse races, and  
other years this has been a very ex-  
citing feature but on this occasion  
the field seemed to be outclassed by  
A. Cary's 3 yr-old mare Queenie,  
who swept ahead of them all and  
easily took 1st prize.

A new race was the potato race  
on horseback the riders being given

pointed sticks and having to get a  
potato thereon from a tub ride 50  
yards and deposit it in another tub  
the other riders doing everything  
possible to prevent this, the one de-  
positing the largest number in the  
tub being the winner, this almost  
ended in a free fight with sticks on  
horseback.

Perhaps the greatest event of all  
and the one that had drawn hun-  
dreds of people to Jarrow to witness  
was a real bucking contest. A pinto  
horse that had been brought to Jar-  
row for the occasion certainly had a  
wicked look, and although there  
was lots of the boys around who  
had bragged no horse could put  
them off or make them draw lead,  
for over an hour this horse  
was waiting for a rider. But alas  
one gentleman in chaps more ven-  
turesome than the others, thought  
he would try for the big prize, got  
him saddled, and altho we give him  
credit he done everything possible  
to try and get him to buck, it was  
the unanimous opinion that the  
horse should have been entered for  
the boys pony race, so they gave  
him a pair of boots the choice of  
Holloway Bros store. The next horse  
was a bay about 14 hands and his  
rider was to be Jack Dove of Mann-  
ville. Jack very soon had the saddle  
in place then the fun commenced,  
unfortunately the horse took to a  
brush pile, our herdsman of the  
fur leggings evidently not being  
used to herd bucking bronchos what  
took place for the next few minutes  
horse and rider were amongst the  
poplars is hard to say but from the  
outside could be heard the breaking  
of sticks and the swaying of trees  
could be seen and presently Jack  
emerged still well mounted but alas  
only to enter a thicker and heavier  
brush, trees swayed from side to  
side and in all directions denoting  
the struggle that was going on with-  
in by the horse in his endeavor to  
unseat the rider, at last amidst the  
applause of hundreds who had wit-  
nessed the show, poor old Jack  
emerged from the bush his face bad-  
ly scratched and his shoulder badly  
sprained by being knocked against  
a tree, but still game, and offered  
to ride the horse to a finish provid-  
ed a suitable collection was made,  
however the owner of the horse  
thought he had had enough so after  
consideration by the judges Jack  
Dove was presented with the first  
prize and a box of cigars extra and  
next year we hope to have more like  
Jack on the grounds.

Mrs. H. Dennison won the sack  
of flour given by Holloway Bros for  
the best loaf of bread. All the bread  
was of good quality well cooked and  
fine texture and the judges gave  
their decision mainly on taste.

Another sack of flour donated by  
the same firm given for the largest  
family on the grounds was easily  
won by Mrs. A. Groner of Jarrow  
with 30 head, this decision being  
disputed that this lady had counted  
children and grandchildren, it was  
decided that the prize should go to  
the mother with the greatest num-  
ber of children on the grounds. Af-  
ter a thoro search of the grounds  
Mrs. Groner outdid the next best  
by 3 she having 10 children on the  
grounds to say nothing of one or  
two that did happen to be there.

Another item that caused a good  
deal of amusement to the on-lookers  
was the climbing of a thirty foot  
greasy pole the prize being a cheese  
presented by Mr. Ainslee the E.C.  
D. poplar branch manager, I may  
say no one succeeded in getting to  
the top. But Harry Carter who  
made a good try and got half was  
declared the winner and a consol-  
ation prize was given to the next  
best. In the baseball game the north  
country beat the south, and the tug  
of war contest the south team in  
the history of Jarrow has never  
been beaten again won.

The musicians for the dance hav-  
ing arrived dancing commenced at  
9 p.m. and was kept up till 4 a.m.  
Wednesday morning the hall being  
kept full of dancers all the time  
though some went home others were  
returning from other attractions at

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The best thanks is tendered by  
the executive of the Jarrow UFA to  
all those who assisted in making  
such a grand success of our 5th  
Annual Picnic.

Committee and Judges, S.Sisson,  
C. Alph, B. Heron, A. Firkus, H.  
Dennison, and R. Firkus, President  
W. Conley, ex-officio.

Assisted by Mesdames Lennox,  
L. Murray, D. Widden, and daugh-  
ters, J. Mathews, I. Meakins, R.T.  
Meakins the Sec-Treas of the local  
Union made the refreshment booth  
a great success, thanks to the farm  
women generally for their liberal  
donations of eatables for this de-  
partment.

### Big Gap Round-Up Attracts Thousands.

Thousands of people attended the  
stampede at Neutral Hills July 1-2-  
3 and those returning say that the  
round-up was a hold-up, exhorbi-  
tant prices being charged for eats,  
drinks and fuel. And the sports  
were rather tame and ill-managed  
was the opinion of others. Viking  
was one of the towns that entertain-  
ed the cowboys during their publi-  
city tour and from what the boys  
said everyone was welcome whether  
they had a dollar or not. As a con-  
sequence a large number of people  
went down to the stampedo from  
this point and returned with a dark  
brown taste which is unfortunate  
for future round-ups in the Big-Gap.

## PLAN BIG DAY IN VIKING THURS- DAY, JULY 24

Will be in the Nature of a  
Baseball and Basketball  
Tournament, Etc.

Manager Slavik of the base-  
ball team called together sev-  
eral baseball enthusiasts  
Monday evening and talked  
over the matter of holding a  
baseball tournament in the  
near future. A number gar-  
thered and after the usual  
waiting for others to show up  
the meeting opened. After  
some discussion it was decid-  
ed to hold a baseball and  
basketball tournament here  
on Thursday, July 24th under  
the auspices of the Viking  
Baseball Club. Besides base-  
ball and basketball there will  
be foot races, athletic events,  
and other attractions, ending  
up with a grand ball in the  
evening.